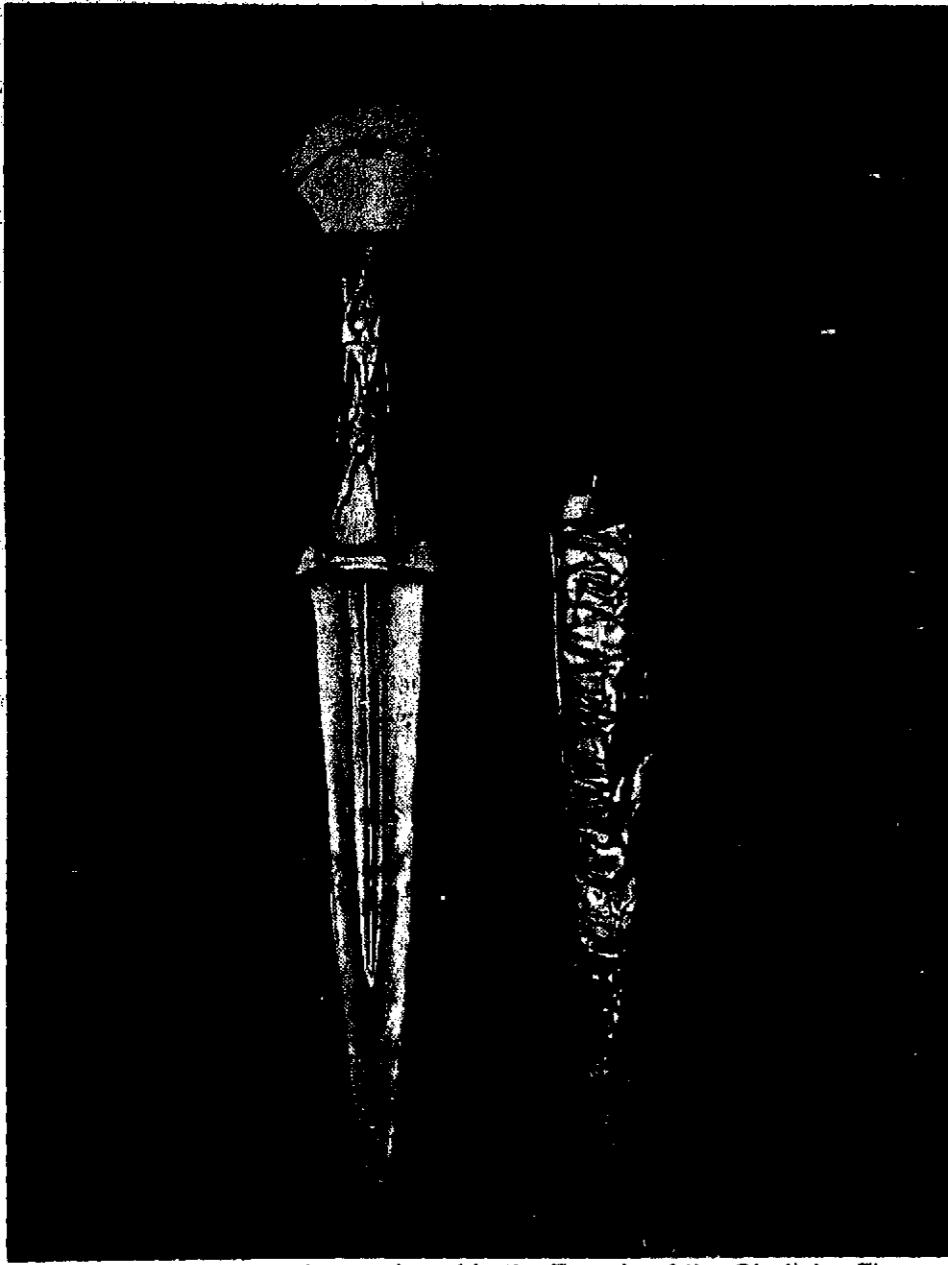
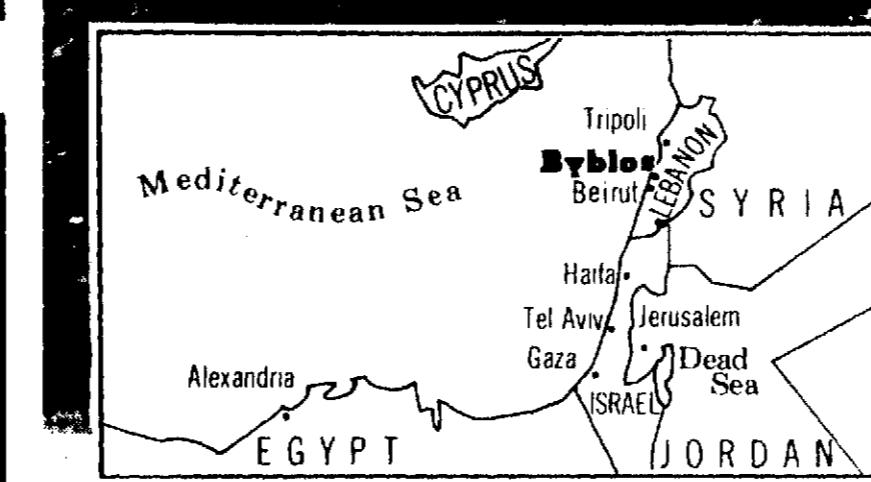




Colonnade from the Roman period (64 B.C.-A.D. 330) was originally border of street, has been rebuilt after removal to permit excavations.



Gold and bronze dagger found in the Temple of the Obelisks. The handle shows Egyptian influence, the sheath Mesopotamian. Middle Bronze Age (1900-1600 B.C.).



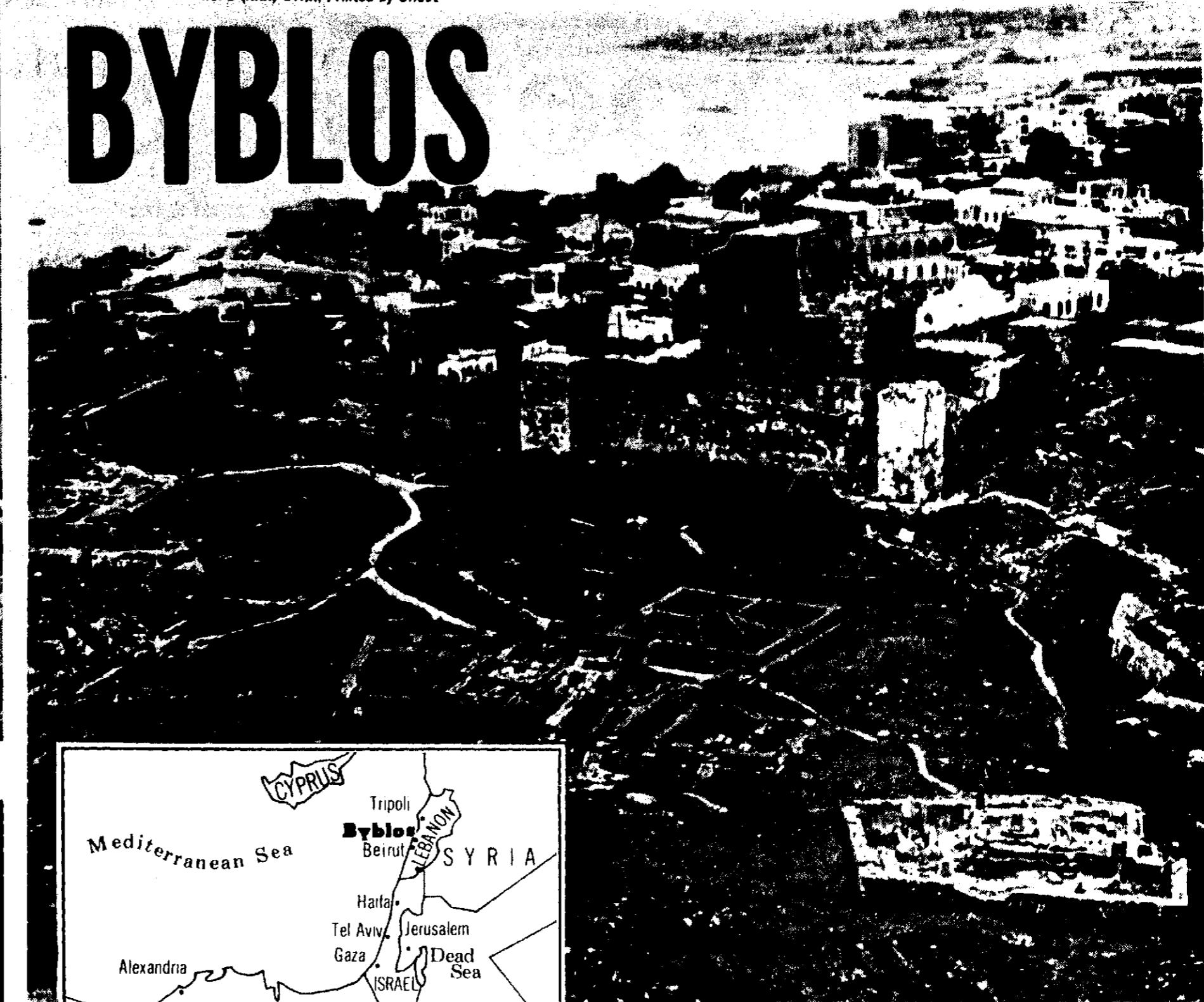
The ancient seaport of Byblos may be the oldest, continuously inhabited city in the world. It is situated in the Lebanon (known as Phoenicia in ancient times), about 25 miles north of Beirut. The history of the city spans 7,000 years—even in Phoenician legend it was believed to be the oldest city on earth.

About 5000 B.C. a small Neolithic fishing community settled there. From that date onward the site has been continuously occupied and various civilizations have succeeded one another as the ages have passed. Its position at a crossroads for trade and cultural exchange in antiquity meant that it became a highly cosmopolitan city whose influences were spread far beyond the Phoenician coast.

For several hundred years the name Byblos was not used for settlements on the site, and the exact location of the city was unknown and lost to history. It was re-discovered in 1860, and since then archeological research has been carried on, uncovering layer by layer traces of Neolithic, Bronze Age, Egyptian, Greco-Roman, Arab, Byzantine and medieval cultures.

But traces of Byblos are extant in everyday life, also, linking us with the times when it was a rich and creative center of activities for the known world. For example, in Greek the word "byblos" was used for papyrus—probably because Byblos was a center for the papyrus trade. Later, books were called "biblia," because of the use of papyrus as a writing material, and our word, Bible, is derived from this. And the earliest known form of the Phoenician 22-letter alphabet, the first of its kind, from which our own alphabet is descended, was found in Byblos in 1923. It formed part of the carving on the stone sarcophagus of King Ahiram and dates from at least 1000 B.C.

These pictures of Byblos today appear in "Byblos Through the Ages," by Nina Jidejian, a new account of the ancient site, the first to be published in English.



Aerial view of Byblos shows Crusader castle (center, rear) and Temple of the Obelisks (right, front).



Silver coin of King Aymel. Late Iron Age--Persian period (550-330 B.C.). Script is Phoenician.

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Sarcophagus of King Ahiram, who ruled in the period 1250-1000 B.C., bears along the lid an inscription in earliest known form of Phoenician 22-letter alphabet (from which our alphabet, via Greece, derives). Late Bronze-early Iron Age (1600-900 B.C.).



Roman colonnade seen through arch of Crusader castle. The latter was built about 1108 A.D. using much stone from temples of Roman period.



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Calendar of Events

MONDAY, JANUARY 12

Circles of the Women's society of Christian Service of the First United Methodist Church will meet on Monday, January 12 as follows:

Circle No. 1—in the home of Mrs. Albert Graves—3 p.m.

Circle No. 2—in the home of Mrs. Herbert Stephens 2:30 p.m.

Circle No. 3 in the home of Mrs. Leland Warmack at 2 p.m.

Circle No. 4 in the Jett B. Graves classroom at 2:30 p.m.

Circle No. 5 in the home of Mrs. W. C. Bruner, Jr. at 7:30 p.m.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 13

Hope Iris Garden Club will meet Tuesday, January 13 in the home of Mrs. C. P. Tolleson at 2:30 p.m. The program will be brought by Mrs. Owen Nix.

The Daytime TOPS Club will meet Tuesday, January 13 at 10: a.m. at 403 West 16th. Any woman interested in losing weight should attend this meeting. For more information call 777-6049.

Hempstead County Democratic Women's Club will meet Tuesday, January 13 at 7:30 p.m. in the Little courtroom of the Court-house. Reports will be made on the state board meeting in Little Rock. All members and interested persons are asked to attend.

The Beryl Henry PTA Study Group will have a Dutch Treat coffee at the Diamond at 10 a.m. Tuesday, January 13. The special guest speaker will be Mrs. Helen Davidson of the Lay Institute for Evangelism.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 14

The John Cain Chapter, DAR, will have a luncheon meeting at the Diamond at 12 noon Wednesday, January 14. The Regent, Mrs. John Keck, will be at the Diamond at 11 a.m. for the benefit of those needing to see her. After the meal, a business meeting will be held to elect delegates to the state conference and the Continental Congress.

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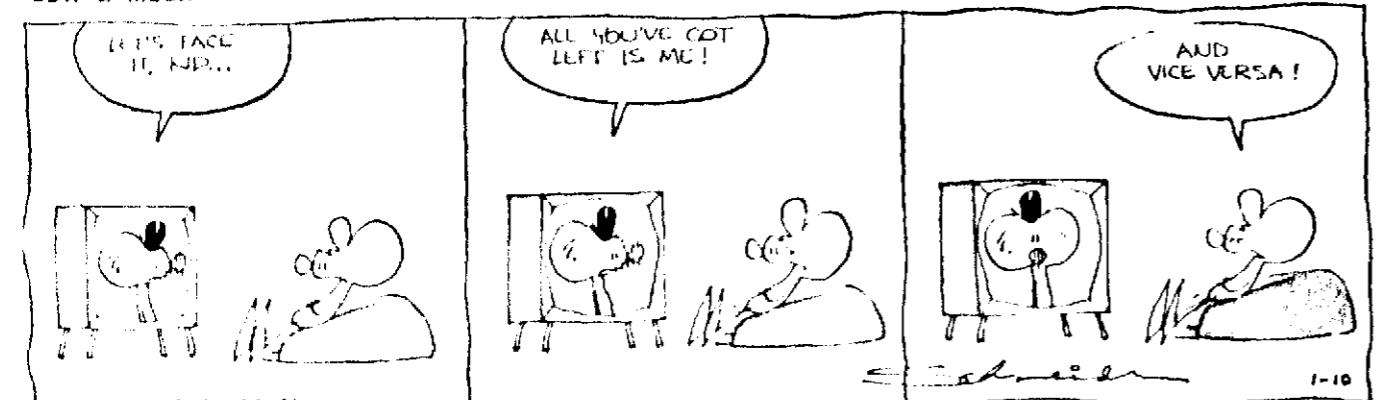
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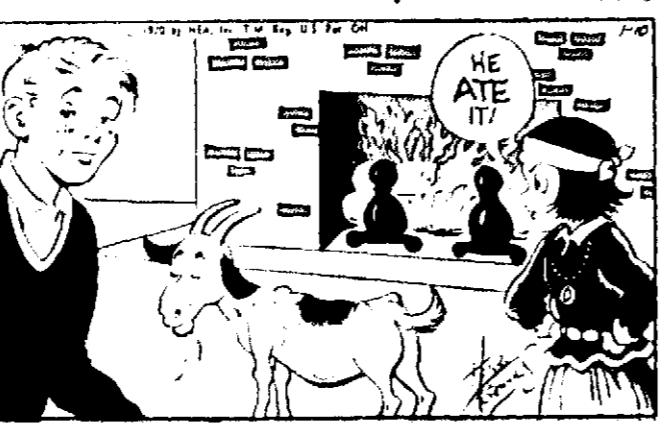


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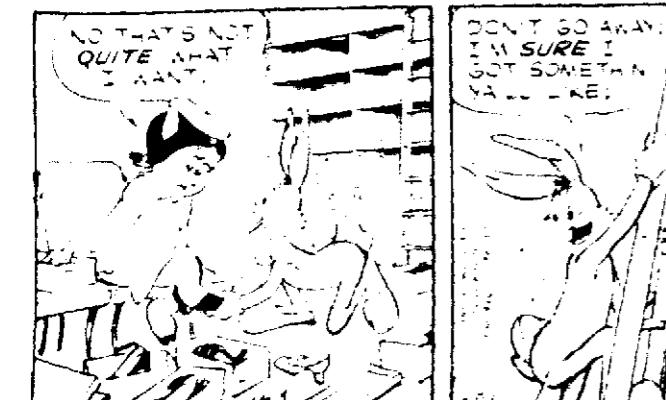
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SPORTS

Panthers In 52 to 47 Win Over Bobcats

By RALPH ROUTON

NEA Sports Writer

Takes over the class 4-AA East, the balanced Magnolia Panthers need all their guns to turn back the Hope Bobcats 52-47 in a thrill

After last night at Jones Field House.

It was the first home loss of the season for Hope, now 7-6 on the year, but Smackover comes to town tonight at 6:30 p.m. to possibly start a new string.

Defensively, both teams battered each other and prevented any high scoring, something the Bobcats are doing better and better for Coach John Ross. Magnolia won it with the shooting of 6-6 Jerry Caldwell, though, who burned the Hope one for many baskets in the last half.

Magnolia came out at the start with a full-court press, and Coach Connie Maloch substituted to keep fresher men in action. Bobcat Larry Muldrew made it 1-0 with a foul shot at 6:27 of the opening period, and moments later John Dudley broke loose underneath for a 3-0 lead.

Sophomore Latrell MacKeller, who is all of 6-4, nailed the Panthers' first two-pointer from five feet, with 4:30 left in the quarter. Then 6-2 forward Howard Martin got a ten-footer for a 4-3 Magnolia lead.

Muldrew hit two buckets and Dudley one before the buzzer, but Mac Kellar added three points to make it 9-7 Hope at the seg-

ments end.

Sub Steve Horton tied it 9-9 with a layup, but Muldrew crammed in a field goal and a pair of free shots for a 13-9 margin as 6:0 remained in the half.

In a minute it was tied 13-all after a long swisher by Panther guard Billy Joe Daugherty and foul shots by Martin. Hope came back on another Dudley layup with a fine assist from David Briggs for a 15-13 advantages, before miscues and bad shots began to prove the Cats' undoing.

Forward Louis Hildreth connected from 15 feet on the baseline with 3:40 to go before half-time, and the Panthers were ahead to stay 17-15. A steal and layup by Bobcat Parker Powell evened it 19-19 a little later, when Jerry Caldwell entered the scene for Magnolia.

The 9-2 senior forward, in hot water with Coach Maloch over practice absences during the Christmas holidays, had been removed from the starting five. Caldwell came it at 19-all, though, and earned his spurs with six points in the last 1:25 for a 26-21 cushion at intermission.

Knowing it was not a hot shooting night, the Bobcats realized that the sticky defense would have to work in the second half. It did on four men, but quick passes frequently found Panther Caldwell open on the left baseline from any range, and he is a phenomenal shooter when guard-ed.

At a time when a few quick scores could have turned the game around, Hope lost some turnovers and could get no closer than four points. Blocked shots and intimidating defense by Muldrew (who played at his best) and Dudley kept the Panthers on their toes.

Caldwell bagged seven points in the third frame, but the last four made a tight 33-27 tally a 37-27 difference entering the final quarter.

Things got worse, as Magnolia completed an 11-2 spree in five minutes of play with a 44-29 spread and only 5:10 to go. Many teams could have folded right there, but some luck and desire put the Hope Bobcats on the comeback trail.

The Panthers record is not 4 wins against 5 losses and they play Arkadelphia here next Thursday.

After two field goals had cut it 41-33 at 4:00, a driving stuffer by Larry Muldrew and a 17-foot popper by Parker Powell ignited the rather boisterous Hope roosters.

Suddenly it was only 44-37, but with 1:45 showing the deficit increased to 49-39, before the last-gasp rally.

Guard Ronde Massanelli got two charity shots, then Muldrew canned four more points to make it 50-45 Magnolia and 53 seconds to go. Then a Daugherty foul prompted two free throws by Bobcat David Briggs, making it 50-47 with all of 42 ticks still to run.

The luck ran out right there, as Magnolia added two foul shots by Willie Dale and prevented Hope from any good shots the rest of the way.

After it was over, Hope Coach John Ross was proud of his

team's effort, also commenting that "our fans haven't yelled like that in a long time." How true, for that enthusiasm that so engulfed footballism in the fall showed its first signs of carrying over.

Many teams would be flat tonight, after such a close loss as 52-47 last evening as Smackover visits Jones Field House with the opening "B" game beginning at 6:30 p.m.

But this is a different year, and a different time, and the Hope Bobcats will be ready. You can be sure of that.

HOPE BOBCATS

	FG	FT	FTA	TP
Muldrew	.10	6	13	28
Dudley	.4	0	1	8
Powell	.3	0	0	6
Davis	.0	0	2	0
Briggs	.0	2	2	2
Massanelli	.0	3	3	3
	17	13	21	47

MAGNOLIA PANTHERS

	FG	FT	FTA	TP
Daugherty	.2	1	3	5
Ross	.1	0	1	2
MacKeller	.3	1	1	7
Hildreth	.2	1	2	5
Martin	.2	2	4	6
Caldwell	.7	4	8	18
Horton	.1	0	1	2
Sterling	.0	5	5	5
Dale	.0	2	2	2
	18	16	27	52

SCORE BY QUARTERS

	1	2	3	4	Totals
Hope	9	12	6	20	47
Magnolia	7	19	11	15	52
Fouled Out: Hope—Powell					
Magnolia—None					
Team Fouls: Hope, 20 Magnolia 15					
Officials: Kenny Hughes and Randy Hughes					

Cubs Defeat Yerger Jr's By 53 to 21

By BILL MOORE

Last night in Jones Field House, the Magnolia Panthers Cubs overpowered the Yerger Junior High Bobkittens, 53-21.

Using a full court press most of the game and a good scoring pace, Magnolia kept Hope in check all night.

The Panther Cubs capitalized on various mistakes and took a quick 12-0 lead, before Don Livley hit two free throws with 1:11 left in the first quarter. Magnolia got two more points to end the first quarter at 14-2.

Hope first scored in the second quarter on Jimmy Smith's basket along with Buddy Ingram's free throw and a basket by Danny Joyce to trail 18-7, with only 1:48 left in the half. Seconds later, trailing, 20-9, Jay Barrentine hit a basket and a charity shot by Ingram. The first half closed with the Kittens trailing, 26-12.

In the third quarter, Magnolia got two quick baskets before Joyce hit a basket with 3:41 left in the quarter. Barrentine and Ingram hit a free throw each to end the third quarter with Magnolia leading, 38-16.

Ingram started the fourth quarter with a basket but Hope stalled until 2:21 left when Ingram hit a charity shot.

Magnolia then scored six quick points, before Tim Hogan finished the scoring with two points.

Overall the kittens never could get going, unable to cope with Magnolia's full court press.

Others seeing action for the Kittens were Gary Rhodes, Doug Archer, Wade Harris, Joey Galway and David Huddleston.

The Kittens record is not 4 wins against 5 losses and they play Arkadelphia here next Thursday.

	FG	FT	TP
Hope	2	5	9
Ingram	2	0	4
Joyce	1	0	2
Smith	1	1	3
Barrentine	0	2	2
Lively	1	0	2
Hogan	1	0	2

	FG	FT	TP
Magnolia	4	2	10
Rone	5	4	14
Hildreth	3	1	7
Austin	3	0	6
Crumpler	2	0	4
Lindsey	1	1	3
Alexander	1	0	2
McDonald	1	0	2
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Obituaries

MRS. LUCIA F. SMITH

Mrs. Lucia Emily Smith, 76, died Friday in a Nashville hospital. She was a native of Washington and member of the Washington Presbyterian Church.

Survivors include one sister,

Mrs. Lola Smith Keel of Orange,

Texas; several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held

at 2 p.m. Sunday in the Wash-

ington Presbyterian Church.

Burial will be in Washington Cemetery under the direction of Herndon Funeral Home of Hope.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

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Hill	2	10	4	5	21

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Last Year, Jonathan Booth Hit It Right on the Nose



The tragedy of Men: He starts off with a Country - and winds up with a Government!

Our Daily Bread

Sliced Thin by The Editor
Alex. H. Washburn

With Other Editors

Another Millwood Handicap
Responsible officials in the Tulsa office of engineers have not been overly sympathetic with problems on the near side of the Millwood Reservoir.

Cutbacks on recreation plans affected adversely the Howard-Siever county portions of the lake, and here some two years since the formal dedication, there is no encouraging sign that policies have changed.

Perhaps they have even worsened.

Commercial stands around the Saratoga area have now been told they violate regulations by transporting rental boats "across government property to the lake shore and launch them for customers."

They have been reminded that the only concessions authorized are at Cypress Slough and Yarbrough Lake. By coincidence both are on the far side of Millwood.

The information from one commercial operator is that the rental and hauling of boats to the shore constitutes only a small part of their business; nevertheless the operators do provide a service to the non-resident fisherman who arrives without his own boat or motor.

As things now stand, the fisherman without boat or motor, wishing to cast bait in the more active fishing areas of the Saline and power and gas lines, must drive to the far side of the lake, then motor all the way back across the lake and up-river.

Such requirements can only discourage visiting fisherman from returning.

Millwood is already suffering from lack of facilities. The landing dock at Saratoga is too narrow to accomodate the traffic; there is no dock at Paragona landing.

The colonel in charge, at a Fall meeting here, admitted his force had many plants but no money for improvement.

Lack of money is bad enough; now a policy that penalizes the few commercial ventures and the visiting fisherman both, can not be an improvement.

If there existed lakeside concessions in this area of the lake, such a regulation might be understandable. As of now this is unwise enforcement of an unnecessary regulation.

Help? It can only come from the congressmen who appropriate money and establish budgets for the engineers. — Nashville (Ark.) News.

Prison System to Borrow Funds

CUMMINS PRISON FARM, Ark. (AP) — George Tannous, financial officer of the Department of Correction, said Thursday the department would have to borrow money in February, and again in March, to continue operations.

Tannous made the statement at a meeting of the state Board of Correction, during which the board expressed concern over salary schedules and a new job classification system which may be part of a proposed special session of the legislature.

Department officials predicted that at the end of the current fiscal year the state's prisons would be in debt for \$300,000.

Commissioner of Corrections Robert Sawyer said that figure would be an improvement over the current situation.

The board voted to draw up a list of proposed salary schedules to be submitted during the special session, but refused to appropriate funds for making any pending legislative action.

Sawyer suggested the funds be allocated in hopes that the legislature would ease the situation. John Bishop of Little Rock, chairman of the Board of Corrections, said the \$100,000 in the budget for machinery and repairs for existing buildings was inadequate.

Sawyer said a program had been started which would provide for an additional attention to inmates. He said the plan was to develop a plan that would increase the state's budget from \$150,000 to \$1 million club a fund which would be primarily used for

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Next Two Moon Flights Postponed

By PAUL RECER
AP Aerospace Writer

SPACE CENTER, Houston (AP) — Postponement of America's next two moon flights is both a victory for scientists and a budgetary move by the space agency, officials said Thursday.

Accompanied by a constable, Halpin went to the railroad yard and confiscated a switch engine and caboose.

Halpin represents a family with a \$48,000 claim against the railroad. He said he was taking the locomotive and caboose because the railroad hadn't paid the judgment.

He later released himself, and within hours, Halpin gave the train back to Southern Pacific

when the railroad notified him from San Francisco that the check was on its way.

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